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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated June 29, 2005 (Paper No. Part of Paper/Mail Date 0605), for which a response is due on September 29, 2005. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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